

## Mandatory Fees and Descriptions

**A mandatory fee is a fee that has been approved by the Board of Regents and is charged to all students.**

**Athletic Fee:** The Athletic Fee supports the athletic programs and includes student admission to institution sporting events.

**Special Institutional Fee:** The Special Institutional Fee (also known as the SIF) is charged to all students and is a state mandated budgetary recoupment fee. This fee is issued annually by institution level to all USG Institutions.

**Jaguar Student Activities Center Fee:** This fee is charged to fund the student activities center. There are many available benefits to all students in the student activities centers.

**Technology Fee:** The Technology Fee is charged to all students to pay for software, hardware, licenses, training, laboratories, systems, classroom hardware & software, and any other student support technological item or service.

**Transportation Fee:** The Transportation Fee includes passage on the campus shuttles which travel to both campuses and to university housing complexes. It also includes passage on the Augusta City Public Transit busses. This fee does not cover the parking permit. Parking on campus is voluntary and is charged separately upon students' registering a vehicle with Parking Services. In POUNCE, click on the link Parking Registration from the main menu. When you register a vehicle for a permit, the payment is due at that time. You will be able to see both the permit charge and payment on POUNCE once you complete the registration each semester at this Parking Registration link.

**Student Activities Fee:** This fee enables student to take part in all student activities offered through the Student Affairs Office and Student Activities Office on campus.

**Wellness Center Fee:** This fee enables all students' access to the Wellness Center, and related benefits of Wellness Center membership. Please see the Wellness Center's web site for hours of operation and rules of use.

**Miscellaneous Charges:** Students may be charged certain course-specific and program-specific charges as part of their regular enrollment. This can include charges for Arts Supplies, Music Supplies, Biology Course Fees, Lab Fees, Testing Fees, Liability and Disability Insurance Fees, and Immunization Tracking Fees.